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Governor Brewer Commemorates Constitution Week

PHOENIX – In commemoration of the signing of the United States Constitution in 1787, Governor Jan Brewer has issued a proclamation declaring September 17-23, 2012, "Constitution Week" in Arizona.

"As American citizens, we are blessed to live in a country in which freedom and individual liberty reign supreme," said Governor Brewer. "This is thanks to our Nation's founders, who wisely enshrined within our U.S. Constitution the revolutionary principles of limited government, justice and opportunity that we enjoy to this day."

"During this election year, it is more important than ever that Americans take time to reflect upon the shared ideals protected within our Constitution. As part of Constitution Week, I hope Arizonans will join me in celebrating the supreme law of the land created by and for 'we the people.'"

On August 2, 1956, Congress requested that the President of the United States proclaim the week beginning September 17 and ending September 23 of each year as "Constitution Week." Involvement from federal, state and local officials is encouraged.

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